GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Irrigation & CAD – Pula Subbaiah Veligonda Project – Appointment of Sri L.Nageswara Rao , Sr. Advocate as the Counsel for the State Government in the Supreme Court of India, New Delhi - Order – Issued.

IRRIGATION & C.A.D. (PW: MAJOR IRRIGATION-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.466 Dated: 07-06-2008.

Read the following: -

<u>O R D E R</u>:

In its 10th meeting held on 19.2.2008, the Standing Committee of National Board of Wild Life considered the Proposal for diversion of 0.6ha. (surface area) and 106.31 Ha (underground area) falling within Rajiv Gandhi Tiger Reserve towards the construction of Pula Subbaiah Veligonda Irrigation Project. The Standing Committee observed that the National Tiger conservation Authority had already recommended the proposal favourably with certain conditions and therefore similarly recommended the proposal for approval subject to certain conditions.

The recommendations of the Standing Committee of National Board of Wild Life were placed before the Central Empowered Committee constituted by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ petition No.202/1995, to which , the IA.No.1865 to WP.No.202/1995 filed by the State Government before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India , was referred for comments by the apex court . The Central Empowered Committee ,in its hearing held on 2.4.2008, has decided to recommend the proposal for approval to the hon'ble Supreme Court of India. Thus the matter is now pending for the consideration before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

In view of the circumstances stated in para (2) above Government hereby appoint SriL.Nageswara Rao, Sr. Advocate as the Counsel for the State Government in the Supreme Court of India to obtain clearance for Pula Subbaiah Veligonda Project and his fees shall be fixed in terms of G.O.Ms.No.200, Law (N) Dept., Dt.14.10.1996.

The Engineer-in-Chief & Chief Engineer (Projects) Ongole shall take necessary action accordingly.

This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (W&P) Department vide their U.O.No. 6057, Principal Secretary (W&P)/08 Dt.9.5.2008.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

RAJIV RANJAN MISHRA SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To,

The Engineer-in-Chief & Chief Engineer(P) Ongole.

Copy to:

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The Director of works Accounts, Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER